



Win a \$20,000 Green Grant for Your School!

Wal-Mart has selected Green Education Foundation to help promote their Green School Earth Month program. Wal-Mart is saluting the greenest schools across the nation with \$500 gift card prizes and a chance to win a \$20,000 award! They are particularly interested in knowing how schools have incorporated eco-friendly practices into their daily routines.

Perhaps your teachers and staff are making double-sided copies to reduce the amount of paper they use. Or, maybe the student body started a recycling program for cans and bottles in the cafeteria. Is the school using CFL bulbs instead of traditional light bulbs to use less energy and save money?

If you're a school administrator, teacher or parent, simply write – in 200 words or less – about the ways in which you're greening your school.

Simply go to: www.nationalgreenweek.com and sign up for **National Green Week 2010*** and GEF will email you all of the Wal-Mart contest details. To double your chances of winning, submit your essay for a chance to win a \$250-\$500 GEF Green In-Action Award!

***National Green Week 2010**, Feb 1, 2010—April 22, 2010, is a free environmental sustainability program that provides schools with green lessons, activities and a multitude of hands-on programs for teachers and students. Many schools will have access to free mini-wind turbines, classroom composting kits (worms included!), online energy training courses, teacher forums, and much, much more!

The deadline for the Wal-Mart essay submissions is **May 1st** so enroll in National Green Week 2010 today and by greening your school you could earn green \$\$\$ for your school!

Good luck!

Sincerely,
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About Green Education Foundation

Green Education Foundation is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide educational resources that promote sustainable impactful pro-green behaviors in children, families, and communities. GEF believes that children learn best through hands-on educational programs. With this in mind, GEF provides real-life environmental experiments and activities that dovetail with multi-disciplinary educational curriculum and lessons. For more information please visit: www.greeneducationfoundation.org.